

1994 ANNUAL ARRL CLUB REPORT FORM

Club Name MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB Call sign W992 Date 12/13/94
(No abbreviations or nicknames, please)
 Membership Area MILWAUKEE, WI. Club abbreviation or nickname (if any) VRAC

Speciality (check all appropriate categories)

- ☒ General Interest ☐ Contest ☐ VHF/UHF ☐ Public Service/Emergency
☐ Digital Modes ☐ DX ☐ Repeaters ☐ Other: _____
☐ School or Youth Group

Total number of club members <u>153</u>	Number of voting members who are licensed amateurs <u>150</u>
Number of voting members <u>170</u>	Number of voting members who are ARRL members <u>95</u>

School/Youth clubs only: ARRL member who is faculty advisor, club president, trustee, or sponsor

Name

Call sign

Club Councils only: Number of clubs in the council _____

Your official's signature, below, affirms that at least 51% of the clubs affiliated with your council are also currently affiliated with the ARRL.

Preferred mailing address (same as card)

Name MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB Office FRED A. LINN SECRETARY Call sign W9NZE
 Address P.O. Box 25707 Milwaukee, WI., 53225
 Day Telephone (414) 377-3230 Night Telephone (414) 461-HAMS

Club/Council President

Name EDWARD WILLE Call sign W9PWC Term expires 1995
 Address 7835 W. Caldwell Ct. Milwaukee, WI. 53218
 Day Telephone (414) 461-5951 Night Telephone () Same

Club/Council Newsletter Editor:

Name ARMY E. DONFIS, JR. Call sign W4QQA
 Address 1958 N. 38th St., Milwaukee, WI., 53209
 Day Telephone (414) 344-4594 Night Telephone () None

Club Information:

Meeting location, day, time: Wauwatosa Bank 3d Thursday/mo. 7:30PM
75th & State St.'s, Wauwatosa, WI/ 53225

Do you wish to have prospective amateurs referred to your club? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please check services sponsored by your club:

- ☒ Club newsletter ☒ Hamfest
☐ TVI/RFI committee ☒ Repeater (frequency?) 147.045 +
☒ Entry-level license ☐ Packet radio BBS (call sign?) _____
☒ General or higher license classes
☒ License test sessions
☐ On-the-air bulletins ☒ Other: W9C 121

Signature of Club/Council Official

Signature

Secretary

Title

12/13/94

Date

Notice: See reverse side for important information.

See page 8 of the latest QST for your ARRL Division and Section leadership. They welcome your newsletters, comments, and suggestions. PLEASE RETURN ALL BUT THE LAST PAGE TO ARRL, 225 MAIN STREET, NEWINGTON, CT 06111. Thank you!

The Affiliated Club Annual Report Form

What is the Annual Report used for?

Information about your club is given to prospective radio amateurs who want to learn more about our hobby. In addition, *Field Forum*, a special-interest newsletter, is sent to your club four times a year. Other mailings go out on a non-scheduled basis. The annual report is our way of keeping your club records at HQ up-to-date.

Should two years go by without our receiving an annual report, your club status will be changed to the inactive file. If this happens, you can return to active affiliated status at any time by simply completing an annual report and confirming 51% ARRL membership among your voting members.

What Are the Benefits of Affiliation?

In addition to being associated with 2000 like-minded clubs with similar goals (remember, there is strength in numbers), being an affiliated club brings your group a number of tangible benefits, presented here:

- 1) *Field Forum*, quarterly issues jam packed with interesting news and ideas for and about clubs and Amateur Radio in general
- 2) The opportunity to order (for free) the ARRL Annual Report (this is the business report of the ARRL)
- 3) ARRL-sponsored liability and equipment insurance
- 4) Referrals of prospective radio amateurs to your club (great for new member promotion)
- 5) ARRL club stationery
- 6) \$5.00 commission for every new ARRL member recruited by your club
- 7) Free mailing labels or lists of ARRL members or clubs once a year
- 8) Free geographical lists of all amateurs in a specific city
- 9) Free loans of films and other audio-visual aids and program materials
- 10) Free clip art, great for fleshing out your newsletter
- 11) \$2.00 commission for every ARRL membership renewal handled by your club
- 12) Only affiliated clubs are eligible for participation in the gavel competitions in the ARRL DX Contest, the November Sweepstakes and the ARRL VHF Sweepstakes
- 13) Affiliated clubs can obtain a complete set of ARRL publications for the discount price of \$120.00 good for donating to your local library
- 14) Free lists of other affiliated clubs in your Section—for coordinating large-scale events
- 15) Use of ARRL logo on newsletters and letterhead
- 16) 50% discount on club advertisements in *QST*

The Special Service Club Program

In addition to regular affiliated-club status, a special program exists to recognize those groups who do more than the usual for their communities and for Amateur Radio. These well-rounded groups are the Special Service Clubs (SSCs).

SSCs are the leaders in their Amateur Radio communities. They are the ones with the active training classes, the highly-visible publicity program and the members who actively pursue technical projects. In short, SSCs are well-rounded ambitious clubs who scorn the word "complacent."

Why Become an SSC?

In addition to the benefits regularly affiliated clubs receive, Special Service Clubs get these advantages:

- 1) Free, the *ARRL Letter*, hot and accurate Amateur Radio News, every other week
- 2) Free monthly lists of new amateurs in your geographical area
- 3) Free monthly lists of new League members in your geographical area
- 4) SSC clip art
- 5) Recognition in *QST* as your club renews or becomes an SSC
- 6) SSC meeting and contact information is published in the ARRL *Repeater Directory*
- 7) The opportunity to appoint local Awards Managers

How to become an SSC

To become an SSC, all you have to be is a club actively affiliated with the ARRL, have 51% ARRL membership and fill out a one-page application form (obtainable from your Affiliated Club Coordinator (ACC)). Send the completed form to your ACC, who will contact you to discuss your club's projects.